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OFFICE OF
EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT

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President's Commission on the
Assassination of President Kennedy
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
Washington, D. C. 20002

Dear Mr. Rankin:

We have received your inquiry of July 27th, regarding Hearst Metrotone News reel containing scenes depicting the assassination of President Kennedy.

This is to advise you that, based on first news reports, we dubbed in the three shots heard on the sound track of the film, to lend dramatic impact to film that had been made with a silent camera.

Do not hesitate to call upon us if we can be of any further assistance.

Very truly yours,

C. B. Stratton

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